IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE :

In re Application of:

Mazin G. Rahim : Attorney Ref.: 113607

Serial No.: 09/314.637 : Confirmation No.: 5478

Filed: May 19, 1999 : Art Unit: 2626

FOR: RECOGNIZING THE NUMERIC : Examiner: Angela A. Armstrong LANGUAGE IN NATURAL SPOKEN

DIALOGUE

AMENDMENT

MAIL STOP: Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the non-Final Office Action, dated May 18, 2006, kindly enter the following Amendment and Remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.